

## "THE WICKEDEST MAN IN NEW YORK"

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parts are said to be Dr. G. M. Hammond and R. E. Jaffee.

At the end of Mrs. Thaw's examination court adjourned until Friday morning, a death in Justice Fitzgerald's family causing an abandonment of the Thursday sitting.

## SAYS HER SON TOLD HER ALL

**Consented to Marriage with Understanding That Past Be a Sealed Book.**

Mrs. Thaw was called to the stand immediately after the court assembled for the afternoon session. She was still dressed in the same black frock in which she appeared the first day of the trial. With head erect and veil thrown back over her head, she walked to the witness chair.

Harry Thaw was all interest. He sat facing his mother, and seemed extremely nervous. He rested his cheek on his hand and then bit his nails.

**Mother Saw Change.**

Mrs. Thaw repeated her name in response to a question by Mr. Delmas, speaking in a tone so low as scarcely to be heard.

Mr. Delmas stood immediately at her left.

Mrs. Thaw said that in the fall and winter of 1903 she was living in Pittsburgh.

Her son Harry came home, she said, on the 16th or 17th of November, a day or two before his brother Joshua's wedding.

"During the time your son Harry was at home did you notice anything unnatural about his conduct?" asked Mr. Delmas.

"Certainly did," replied Mrs. Thaw. "Will you please describe what took place?"

"That day, when he first came to the door, there was a look of absent-mindedness on his face, a despairing look. It struck me at the time."

Mrs. Thaw's other two sons, other than the defendant, Edward and Joshua, sat just behind their brother during the mother's testimony. They were much affected by it.

"Did the impression of a change in your son grow on you?" asked Mr. Delmas.

Told Her Evelyn's Story.

"Yes; he seemed to have lost all interest in everything. His room was next to mine, often in the night from his room I heard another sob. Sometimes, when I was awake late at night, I would see light under his door, and often found him sitting up at 3 or 4 o'clock in the morning. He told me he couldn't sleep, and there was no use going to bed. I am not of prying disposition, but I asked him to tell me what the matter was. He said it was impossible to tell me his story."

"Did he at any time, freely or in answer to your questions, tell you the story?"

"He told me freely one night, when I insisted on it. He told me the story, said Mrs. Thaw. "But not definitely. He said his troubles were caused by something a wicked man had done in New York—probably the wickedest man in New York. He said it had ruined his life, and he never could be happy. This was all I could get from him for a week."

Mrs. Thaw, as she told of her son's conduct, almost broke down. Her lips quivered, and she pressed her mouth with a handkerchief. But the emotion did not last long, and the white-haired woman, with an apparent effort, controlled herself. When she could again speak she said:

Said It Was Her Mother's Fault.

"The week before Thanksgiving I understood more. I did not know the girl's name. I did not ask it. I did not want to know it, but I did know that his condition had something to do with a young girl. He had told me about the wicked man in New York, but it was only later I found out that this man had ruined a young girl."

"After I found his condition was due to something which had been done to a young girl, I asked him why he should allow his life to be ruined. I told him it was not his duty to look after the girl, and tried to influence him in another direction. But he protested that his life had been ruined. He told me the girl had the most beautiful mind, naturally, of any person he ever knew."

"He told me this about Thanksgiving time, and it caused me to look at matters in a new light."

"Harry said the girl had been neg-

# Headache and Sleeplessness



MRS. G. W. RORER.

Mrs. G. W. Rorer, of Rockville Centre, L. I., suffered so from headaches and nervous trouble that she could not sleep.

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## Leader of Pittsburg Society as She Appeared in the Courtroom



MRS. WILLIAM THAW, Mother of Harry K. Thaw, who testified in the murder trial yesterday.

lected by her mother or that she had no mother, or this awful thing would not have happened. He said there was still a chance for her to be good and so on. I can't recall all that he said.

**On Thanksgiving Day.**

"On Thanksgiving Day Harry and I were alone—the rest of the family were all away."

Here Mrs. Thaw's voice again failed. Her face flushed and her eyes filled with tears.

"It was the first Thanksgiving in our large and beautiful new church," said Mrs. Thaw when she was able to resume. "Harry and I went to church and it was so crowded we had to sit well back under the gallery. I was glad it was so late. When the choir was singing Kipling's 'Recessional' to Kipling's beautiful music, I heard Harry sob, and looking I saw tears falling over him, and he had not happened to see me."

"As we drove home I asked him how he had come to forget himself. He said this dreadful thing had suddenly come over him, and if it had not happened he might have been with us then."

Mrs. Thaw told of Dr. Bingham having been called in and prescribing a nerve tonic for her son.

"After Harry once spoke of the young woman he often talked of her."

**Learned Girl's Name.**

"When did you first learn who the young woman was?" asked Mr. Delmas. "I can't recall precisely. I think it was in the spring of 1904."

"Do you recall the conversation you had with your son at that time?"

In arguing on an objection by District Attorney Jerome, Mr. Delmas said he would invoke the rule of the law

that Thaw being insane in 1903 continued insane in 1904.

"If that assumption is sound," said the district attorney, "there is no reason to believe this defendant is not insane to-day, and it becomes the duty of the court to suspend the trial until the matter of the defendant's present state of mind can be inquired into."

**No Lunacy Commission.**

Justice Fitzgerald overruled Mr. Jerome's objections to Mrs. Thaw's testimony concerning her son in 1904. He said the question of the appointment of a lunacy commission was not before the court.

Mrs. Thaw proceeded. She testified as to conversations with her son between Thanksgiving, 1903, and Harry's departure for Europe, in the spring of 1904.

"He told me the girl's name," said Mrs. Thaw, "but I can't remember just when this was. He told me that she had lived in Pittsburgh or Allegheny, and that she had gone to New York with her mother, and as we all knew, she posed for artists. He said she had been persuaded to go on the stage, which was very bad for her."

"Harry returned to Pittsburgh," she said, "in November, 1904."

"Did he speak to you again about the young girl?" asked Mr. Delmas.

**Wanted to Marry Her in 1903.**

"There had been a horrible scandal," said Mrs. Thaw, "or at least they made it out a scandal. I remember my expressing my disapproval of his conduct. He explained it all to me. He was still of a mind to marry her."

"You have said nothing before about his wanting to marry her," interrupted Mr. Delmas.

"I must have forgotten it," replied

garding this defendant's income were objected to by Mr. Delmas, and the objections sustained.

Mr. Jerome was profoundly respectful in his attitude toward the defendant's mother as he continued his cross-examination.

**Never Mentioned White's Name.**

Later Mrs. Thaw said Harry's income was a moderate one.

Jerome asked: "Did the defendant ever disclose to you the fact that he had sustained relations with the young woman before she became his wife?"

"He did not," said Mrs. Thaw.

"When your son returned to Pittsburgh in the fall of 1903," asked Mr. Jerome, "did he express a desire to you to marry Miss Nesbit?"

"Did he ever express a fear that others would prevent her from accepting him?" asked Mr. Jerome.

After one or two unimportant questions Mr. Jerome closed his cross-examination. Mr. Delmas had no other questions, and the witness left the stand.

**ASK PRESIDENT TO DISMISS MR. BACON**

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] WASHINGTON, D. C., March 6.—President Roosevelt will be placed in an embarrassing position, with the receiver of the petitions in circulation requesting him to dismiss Assistant Secretary of State Robert Bacon, because the latter was one of the guests at the "Girl in the Pie" dinner given in New York by Stanford White some years

ago. The fact that Bacon was one of the guests at this dinner was brought out in the Thaw case. Since this fact became known, ministers throughout the country have made requests that Bacon be removed from his position as one of the closest friends of the President.

## YOUNG "BILLY" THAW BREAKS LOOSE AGAIN

PITTSBURGH, March 6.—It is promised that within the next forty-eight hours "Billy" Thaw, nephew of Harry K. Thaw, will appear at the trial in New York. "Billy," it seems, has not been wanted, but last week he escaped from the snowdrifts of Northern Wyoming, where he has been doing sober penance for some months, and hit the Southern trail for Broadway.

It will be recalled that the mother of William Thaw, 3d, as "Billy" is sometimes known, some months ago asked the courts of Allegheny county to detain her son as a habitual drunkard and appoint a guardian for his fortune of perhaps three millions. Young Thaw promised his mother that he would spend six sober months at the ranch in the Northwest and would thereafter be good if she would not press the case. She agreed, and two men were sent West with him. Now they are coming home without Thaw. He escaped from them some days ago.

Last Saturday his bankers received a sight draft for \$1,000, drawn by Thaw at Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Frank A. Dohrman, an uncle of the young Pittsburgh millionaire, is said to be with him. Dohrman was sent to Wyoming to keep "Billy" quiet and away from New York, but it has failed, it appears.

**ACQUIT CONSTABLE.**

**Mr. Haskins Shot McNair Only After Negro Had Drawn Pistol.**

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] MEHERRIN, VA., March 6.—Mr. W. I. Haskins, special constable, who shot John McNair here yesterday, was given a hearing in the morning before Justice J. W. Davis and was immediately discharged. The testimony of Mr. S. A. Harding, a traveling salesman, was first taken. Mr. Harding was an eyewitness to the shooting, and told how he saw Mr. Haskins pass him while starting the negro, who was the shooting took place, and that he saw the negro woman who had had the warrant issued for McNair's sale. Mr. Haskins pointed him out to the constable, and then the constable commanded the negro to consider himself under arrest. Mr. Haskins then fired the shot which caught hold of the man near the collar, and in a few seconds the negro was lying on the ground.

The scuffle continued until they were about fifteen feet from where he was first shot. When the second shot was fired, and this had no more effect than the first, Mr. Haskins fired a third shot, and McNair was killed.

The expense of taking the negro to Richmond was furnished by Mr. Haskins.

**ACQUIT JONES.**

**Was Charged with Selling Liquor Without License.**

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] DANVILLE, VA., March 6.—In the Corporation Court to-day George Jones was acquitted of the charge of selling liquor without license. Jones was convicted at the June term of court, and the case sent back for retrial by the Supreme Court of Virginia on the ground that the conviction was based on generalities and not a specified transaction.

The ruling of the Supreme Court was that Jones should be tried for selling whiskey to a certain man at a certain time. The case was argued by Mr. Jones and Mr. E. H. Hatcher, for the same offense, and sent back from the Supreme Court, also resulted in acquittal.

The three have attracted widespread attention, and the decision of the Supreme Court is decidedly favorable to illegal dealers in whiskey.

**DON'T WANT RACE-TRACK Ministers and Others Object to This Sport Near Asheville.**

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] ASHEVILLE, N. C., March 6.—Strong opposition has developed against the proposed race-track in this vicinity, land for which was recently purchased by Mr. Shufeldt of New Orleans, a well-known athlete and wrestler, who acquired a tract of land near Sulphur Springs, which was formerly used for racing purposes, with the intention of converting it into a modern and up-to-date race-track.

Mr. Schoenfeldt also contemplates erecting a large hotel on his Sulphur Springs property in the immediate vicinity of the proposed track.

Following an open letter by Justice J. C. Pritchard, in which he took strong ground in opposition to a race-track in this vicinity, the Ministerial Association of Asheville yesterday held a meeting, at which Judge Pritchard's letter was formally commended, and a committee appointed to take steps to suppress gambling at the proposed track.

Judge Pritchard was authorized by the committee to forward to State Senator Webb, at Raleigh, the draft of a measure which he will be requested to introduce in the North Carolina Legislature.

**Campaign in Full Blast.**

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] DANVILLE, VA., March 6.—The campaign for the raising of \$35,000 for the establishment of Young Men's Christian Association in Danville is on in full blast. One thousand dollars was raised to-day, making a total of \$26,000. The subscriptions are made on the condition that the full amount will be raised by March 15th, which eventually can be easily done.

Coulter, State secretary, is at the head of the campaign.

**LEFT FOR LECTURE, ARE WEDDED INSTEAD.**

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] ROANOKE, VA., March 6.—Miss Cora H. Whitlow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Whitlow, and Mr. Edward Benson Hooper were married last night at 7:30 at the First Baptist parsonage, Rev. T. J. Silliman officiating.

The groom left the home of the parents of the bride with her, stating that they were going to hear Senator Bristol, last night, aged seventy-seven. For forty years he had been in the employment of the Norfolk and Western Railway, first as conductor, then in the construction department, and lastly as stationmaster here. He was a native of Fairfax county, Va. Surviving him are his widow, Mrs. Annie E. Fairfax, and three sons and two daughters. The sons are R. R. Fairfax, of Roanoke; Dr. Reginald Fairfax, of McComas, W. Va., and G. P. Fairfax, of Bristol.

**W. Scott Trott.**

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Your choice to-day of Henley Serges and Marvel Suits; all of the newest checks, plaids and pretty colorings are included; per yard ..... **15c**

38-inch All-Wool French Batts, in all the newest spring shades and cream; worth 60c; per yard ..... **50c**

36-inch All-Wool Albatross, in tan, Nile green, navy and gray; 48c value; per yard. **39c**

## GOVERNOR GLENN FOR COTTON MEN

GREENSBORO, N. C., March 6.—In addition to examining a large number of cotton mill owners, superintendents, other officers and traveling salesmen, Governor R. B. Glenn was to-day introduced as a witness for the defense in the penalty suits against Edward A. Smith and Sumner S. Starnes, the Charlotte mill men, charged with violations of the immigration laws, which are being tried before Judge Boyd in the United States Circuit Court.

Governor Glenn was on the stand but a few minutes, and was not cross-examined by counsel for the government. The Governor stated that he received a visit from the two defendants and Thomas M. Costello.

At the request of these men he commissioned Mr. Costello immigration agent of the State of North Carolina. He also gave correspondence he had with the immigration officials notifying them of the appointment of Mr. Costello.

Twenty-nine witnesses for the defense were on the stand during the day. Among those who gave evidence to-day were many prominent cotton mill men from every section of the South, and traveling salesmen from every section of the Union. They all said that during the year 1905 there was a great scarcity of cotton, mill operative in every section of the country, varying in different localities from 10 to 35 per cent. of the number actually necessary to keep all the machinery in operation.

**DEATHS.**

**BOWERS.**—Died, at East Radford, Va., March 6, 1907, WM. J. BOWERS. The remains will arrive Friday morning, March 8th, at 7:30 o'clock over the Norfolk and Western Railroad. Funeral notice later.

**NEWPORT NEWS, VA., and Florence, S. C., papers please copy.**

**COLEMAN.**—Died, at the residence of his son, 1211 N. Twenty-seventh Street, at 6 P. M., March 5th, Dr. WARNER W. COLEMAN, in his seventy-fourth year.

Funeral from the residence THURSDAY, March 7th, at 3 P. M. Interment in Oakwood Cemetery.

**CHUMBLEY.**—Died, in Campbellville, Ky., March 4, 1907, of congestion of the brain HENRY H. CHUMBLEY, youngest child of Rev. C. M. and Elizabeth Stern Chumblay.

The funeral will take place from the Pine Street Baptist Church at 4 P. M. TO-DAY.

The interment will be in Hollywood.

**STEVENS.**—Entered into rest, after an illness of two years, BERNICE, daughter of Mrs. Frances Stevens, 50 North Twelfth Street. Her death is one of peculiar sadness, occurring on the second anniversary of that of her brother, Robert Stevens, who was accidentally killed by a Seaboard Air Line train. She was a lovely Christian character, and bore her sufferings with patience and resignation, being cheerful to the last. She will be buried in Blandford Cemetery on FRIDAY, March 8th, at 10 o'clock.

Cincinnati, O., and Fayetteville, N. C., papers will please copy.

**Miss Jennie Elliott.**

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] GORDONVILLE, VA., March 6.—Miss Jennie Elliott died at the home of her niece, Mrs. William Dunn to-day. Miss Elliott was a sister to Rev. J. S. Hunt, who gave her body will be taken to Spout Springs, Va., for interment.

**Dr. Warren W. Coleman.**

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**Mrs. Margaret Douglas Hutson.**

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**Miss Bernice Stevens.**

Miss Bernice Stevens, daughter of Mrs. Robert Stevens, 50 North Twelfth Street, died yesterday, the anniversary of the death of her brother, Robert Stevens. The funeral will be held on Friday, the interment will be in Blandford Cemetery, Petersburg.

**Henry Hoge Chumblay.**

Henry Hoge Chumblay, infant son of the Rev. M. Chumblay, died Monday, at the residence of his parents in Campbellville, Ky. Mr. and Mrs. Chumblay are well-known in Richmond, where Mr. Chumblay was at one time pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian Church.

**Thomas J. Corlin.**

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] OLIVE, VA., March 6.—Mr. Thomas J. Corlin departed this life March 2d, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. He had been a faithful member of the Amisville Baptist Church for many years. He was in his sixtieth year.

He was a very sufferer for about two weeks, but bore it bravely, and died just like a candle going out. His children that could be with him were constantly at his bedside. Eight children survive him—Mr. G. H. Corlin, Korea, Va.; Mrs. Lizzie Curtis, Orleans, Va.; Mr. Nelson Corlin, Amisville, Va.; Mrs. Nannie Curtis, Rixeyville, Va.; Mr. Jack Corlin, Korea, Va.; Mr. George and Mr. Will Corlin, California, and Miss Mary Corlin, who was sick at the same time, and could not be with her father.

He leaves eighteen grandchildren and twelve great-grandchildren and a host of friends to mourn their loss.

The funeral services were conducted by Mr. M. F. Sanford.

**Captain Raymond Fairfax.**

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] BRISTOL, TENN., March 6.—Captain Raymond Fairfax died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. A. Tanner, in Bristol, last night, aged seventy-seven. For forty years he had been in the employment of the Norfolk and Western Railway, first as conductor, then in the construction department, and lastly as stationmaster here. He was a native of Fairfax county, Va. Surviving him are his widow, Mrs. Annie E. Fairfax, and three sons and two daughters. The sons are R. R. Fairfax, of Roanoke; Dr. Reginald Fairfax, of McComas, W. Va., and G. P. Fairfax, of Bristol.

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formed last night. He was unconscious when carried to the hospital and never rallied from the shock of the operation. He leaves a mother, three sisters and two brothers, all of whom are well known here.

**Lady Falls Dead.**

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] HYLAS, VA., March 6.—Mrs. Chisholm Atkinson died suddenly yesterday about noon. She ate her dinner, and arising from the table, fell dead. She leaves a husband and several children and grandchildren.

**IN MEMORIAM.**

**WOOD.**—In memory of my mother, Mrs. ROBT. B. WOOD, who died March 7, 1906.

The beauty of thy life  
A sweet fragrance imparts;  
The memory, like an immortal,  
Will never from me depart.

Like a breath of sweet spring,  
Memory rises with loving wing  
To times when thou wert here  
To love me dear, mother dear.

Beloved mother, may thou shine  
The brightest angel at God's shrine;  
May He give thee power for prayer  
To bring my soul to meet thee there.

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